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#### NOTES IN SEASON.

ROBERTS BROTHERS will publish at once Prof. William G. Ward's little book entitled "Tennyson's Debt to Environment."

L. C. PAGE & Co., Boston, will publish in May, "Bobbie McDuff," a novel by Clinton Ross, which was published serially in Leslie's Weekly.

THE G. W. DILLINGHAM Co. will publish during the summer "A New Sensation," a new novel by Albert Ross, who has been spending

the winter in the West Indies and has entirely recovered his health.

Doubleday & McClure have just ready "Daniel Webster's Representative Speeches," edited by Bliss Perry, who furnishes a critical introduction to the speeches, which include "Adams and Jefferson" and "The Reply to Hayne," issued as one of the Little Masterpieces; also, "A Minister of the World," by Caroline Atwater Mason, a new instalment in the Ladies' Home Journal Library of Fiction, illustrated with photogravures by W. T. Smedley.

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY will publish in a few weeks Mrs. Murray Macdonald's translation of "Karl Marx and the Close of His System," a criticism, by Eugene von Böhm-Bawerk, Austrian Minister of Finance, and honorary professor of Political Economy in the University of Vienna. They have nearly ready "Nature Study in Elementary Schools, a Reader, Nature Myths, Stories and Poems," by Mrs. L. L. M. Wilson, of the Philadelphia Normal School, a book adapted to second and third year pupils.

G. P. Putnam's Sons have just issued "A History of the English Poor Law," in two volumes, by Sir George Nicholls, covering from 724 to 1853, first published in 1860, which now contains the author's revisions and a biography by H. G. Willink; "Reminiscences of the Old Navy," by Edgar Stanton Maclay, taken from the journals and private papers of Captain Edward Trenchard and Rear Admiral Stephen Decatur Trenchard; and "Lost Man's Lane," by Anna Katharine Green, dealing with a second episode in the life of Amelia Butterworth, first introduced in "That Affair Next Door."

The J. B. Lippincott Company have just issued "Madam of the Ivies," by Elizabeth Phipps Train, author of "A Social Highwayman," said to be written with the old dash and spirit; a second edition of the exceedingly successful book, "Heirlooms in Miniatures," by Annie Hollingsworth Wharton, with a chapter on miniature painting by Emily Drayton Taylor; and "Ray's Recruit," a new novel in The Lotos Library, by Captain Charles King, who again places his story in the Great West, and shows us plenty of exciting action in soldiers' quarters, and also tells some delightful love-stories.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS have just issued "Through South Africa," by Henry M. Stanley, consisting of the letters written to South Africa, a journal exclusively devoted to matters relating to the region whence it derives its These letters have been revised and a new introductory chapter has been added. Also just ready are "Music: How It Came to Be What It Is," by Hannah Smith, a little book founded on various courses of lectures which the writer has given before audiences of students and amateurs; "Sermons to Young Men," by Henry Van Dyke, many of which were preached in the college chapels of Harvard, Yale, and Princeton; and "First Lessons in Linear Perspective," by Frederick R. Honey. A collection of five short stories, by Joseph Conrad, is brought out under the title "Songs of Unrest."

#### WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.\*

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\*Adamson, Rev. T: Studies in the mind of Christ. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 296 p. 8°, cl., \$2.25.

\*Allison, J: Dropped stitches in Tennessee history. Nashville, Tenn., Hunter & Welburn, 1898. 160 p. 8°, cl., \$1. [925]

\*Amateur angler, (pseud.) By meadow and stream: pleasant memories of pleasant places. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 134 p. il. 12°, cl., \$2.50. [Ed. limited to 250 copies.]

\*Amateur angler, (pseud.) On a sunshiny holyday. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 140 p. il. 12°, cl., \$2.50. [Ed. limited to 250 copies.]

\*American digest classification scheme, a logical analysis of the law for the use of indexers and digest makers; comprising the digest headings and a catalogue of black letter section lines for all of the digest headings. St. Paul, Minn., West Pub. Co., 1898. c. 326 p. (printed on one side of leaf.) O. pap., gratis to subscribers of "Century digest" only. [928]

\*Baedeker, K:, ed. Egypt: a handbook for travellers. 4th rev. ed. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 395 p. 12°, (Baedeker's guides.) cl., net, \$4.50.

\*Baedeker, K: The travellers' manual of conversation, in four languages: English, French, German, Italian; with vocables, short questions. New ed. N. Y., imshort Sons, 1898. 331 p. 16°, (Baedeker's guides.) cl., net, 90 c.

[930 Bailey, G. H. The tutorial chemistry. Pt. 2, Metals; ed. by W: Briggs. N. Y., Hinds & Noble, 1898. 5+300 p. il. S. (University tutorial ser.) cl., \$1. The method of treatment adopted differs in several respects from that usually found in an elementary treatise. I, the section devoted to chemical physics includes many subjects that are not commonly brought before the student at so early a stage; 2, the elements are taken in the order suggested by the periodic system and the characteristic properties of each family are summarized; 3 a list of exerciments is given. family are summarized; 3, a list of experiments is given in the appendix, selected with a view to illustrate the

\*Ballard, Tilghman E. and Emerson E., eds. Law of real property; complete index; together with the publisher's introductory to the ser., an outline of the topics covered by the work and the number of authorities cited in each subdivision. V. 1-4. Crawfordsville, Ind., The Ballard Pub. Co., [1898.] c. 14 p.+9 leaves+864-962 p. O. [932 cl., \$1.50.

text.

Bible. New Testament. Harmony of the gospels, by the Rev. Jos. Bruneau; with the approbation of Arbp. Michael Augus-tine Corrigan. N. Y., Cathedral Library Assoc, 1898. 10+144 p. map, D. cl., 75 c.; рар., 50 с.

\*Biddle, Anthony J. Drexel. A dual rôle, and other stories. New issue. Phil., Drexel Biddle, 1897. c. 164 p. 12°, pap., 25 c

\*Bigelow, Melville Madison. The law of wills; for students. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1898. 6+398 p. 12°, cl., \$2.50; shp., \$3.

\*Boisragon, Alan T. The Benin massacre. N. Y.. New Amsterdam Book Co., 1898. 190 p. 12°, cl., net, \$1.25.

\*Bradshaw, B. Dictionary of mineral waters, climatic health resorts, sea baths, and hydropathic es'ablishments. N. Y. New Amsterdam Book Co., 1898. 438 p. 16°, cl.,

Broadus, J. Albert, D.D. A treatise on the preparation and delivery of sermons. New [23d] ed.; ed. by Edwin C: Dargan D.D. N. Y., A.C. Armstrong & Son, 1898. c. '70, '98. 21+562 p. D. cl., \$1.75. [938] '98. 21+562 p. D. cl., \$1.75.

\*Bulwer-Lytton, Sir E: G: Earle Lytton, [Lord Lytton.] Novels and romances. Limited ed. In 40 v. V. 1-30. Best., Little, Brown & Co., 1898. ea., il. 8°, cl.. subs., net, \$2.

Bunyan, J: The pilgrim's progress; abridged for young read rs; with an introd. and notes by E: Everett Hale, jr. N. Y., University Publishing Co., [1898.] c. 27+ 93 p. D. (Standard literature ser., no. 30.) 940 pap., 12½ c.; cl., 20 c.

Carpenter, Boyd, (Bp.) Forty days of the risen life. N. Y.. Dodd, Mead & Co., 1898. c. 5+104 p. nar. D. (Little books on re-

ligion.) cl., 50 c. [941

Contents: The gospel of the twilight; The shattering of hopes; The moods of sorrow; The aim of comfort; The consistent inconsistency of love; Manifold are love's ways; Grace sanctions and sanctifies natural

\*Carter, A. C. R., comp. The year's art, 1898: a concise épitome of all matters relating to the arts of painting, sculpture, and architecture, and to schools of design, which have occurred during the year 1897; with information respecting the events of the year 1898. N. Y., imported by C. Scribner's Sons, 1898. 454 p. 11. 123. cl., \$1.40.

\*Chapin, J. B., M.D. A compendium of insanity. Phil., W. B. Saunders, 1898. c. 268 p. 16°, cl., net, \$1.25.

\*Clarke, J: H:, M.D. The prescriber: a dictionary of the new therapeutics. American ed, rev. and enl. by the author; from the 4th English ed. Phil., Boericke & Tafel, 1898. 258 p. 16°, cl., \$1.

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Clarke, M. Story of Cæsar. N. Y., American Book Co., [1898.] c. 5-173 p. por. D. (Eclectic school readings.) cl., 45 c.

Cleveland Public Library, ed. Cumulative index to a selected list of periodicals: authors, subjects, titles, reviews, portraits. Second annual volume, 1897. Cleveland, O., The Public Library, [for sale by The Helman-Taylor Co.,] 1898. 6+635 p.Q. cl., subs. for year, incl. present vol., \$5. [946]

Helman-Taylor Co., 1898. 6+635 p. Q. cl., subs. for year, incl. present vol., \$5. [946] This, the second annual number of the Cumulative Index, includes one hundred periodicals. This is thirty more than were indexed in 1896, and there are six hundred and thirty-five pages against the three hundred and eighty-four of the first volume. This is accounted for not only by the greater number of periodicals indexed, but by the greater number of references. Book reviews and portraits have received special at tention. The plan of publication was changed during the year to form two series; the first ended in August, the second in November, and these with the material from the additional periodicals compose the present volume.

\*Clowes, W: Laird, [and others.] A history of the royal navy from the earliest times to the pres nt day. In 5 v. V. 2. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1898. il. maps, 8°, cl., net, \$6.50.

Conrad, Jos. The children of the sea: a tale of the forecastle. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1897. c. '97. 2+217 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The scene is confined entirely to the forecastle of an English ship on its long voyage home from Bombay. There is no woman in the story, and no love-making—the narrative consisting of a succession of episodes, humorous and tragical, which illustrate the human nature of the sailor man. A regro dying of consumption is the central figure. The book is published in England under the title of "The nigger of the Narcissus."

Conrad, Jos. Tales of unrest. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. c. 5+348 p. D. cl., 81.25. [949]

Contents: Karain: a memory: The idiots; An outpost of progress; The return; The lagoon.

Crommelin, May de la Chervis. Half round the world to find a husband. N. Y. and Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1898. c. '96, '98. 4-278 p. D. (Globe lib., v. 2, no. 281.)

pap., 25 c. [950]
The parents of a Chilian girl, who is about to leave boarding school, had arranged that she shall marry by proxy a Spanish Don of her own country; the girl having fallen in love with a young Scotchman, sees no other way of foiling her parents' plans than to have a schoolmate personate her; she therefore induces Ann Montague to take her place; Ann's experiences are both romantic and exciting.

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\*Daniels, J. H. A history of British postmarks; with a list of numbers used in obliterations in Great Britain and certain colonial possessions. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 184 p. 12°, cl.,

Davis, Dan. Webster. 'Weh down souf, and other poems; il. by W: L. Sheppard. Cleveland, O., The Helman-Taylor Co., 1897. c. 136 p. D. cl., \$1.

The majority of these poems are written in negro bleet. There are over forty of them on various homely subjects.

Dickens, C: My child-wife; (from "David Copperfield,") with tr. and imitated pronunciation by F. Hundel; reprinted from Pitman's German Weekly. N. Y., Sir I: Pitman & Sons, [1898.] 3+32 p. S. (Pitman's rapid ser.; popular German reader no 1) рар., 20 с. [953

\*Dobson, H: Austin. Eighteenth century essays; selected and annotated. New cheaper ed. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 284 p. 16°, cl., \$1.25.

Dryden, J: Palamon and Arcite; with introd., critical opinions, and notes. N. Y., Maynard, Merrill & Co., [1898.] e. 132 p. por. S. (Maynard's English classic ser., nos. 201-202.) el., 24 e.

\*Duggan, Rev J. Steps toward reunion. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1898. cl., net, \$1.75. [956

\*Dykes, J: Bacchus. Life and letters of John Bacchus Dykes; ed. by J. T. Fowler. N. Y., imported by C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 344 p. 12°, cl., \$3.

Egerton, Hugh E: A short history of British colonial policy. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1898. 503 p. 8°, cl., net, \$4.

Fichte, J: Gottlieb. The science of ethics as based on the science of knowledge; tr. by A. E. Kroeger; ed. by W. T. Harris. N. Y., Appleton, 1897. 8°, cl., \$2.25. [959]

Forsyth, P: Taylor, D.D. The holy father and the living Christ. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1898. 3+147 p. nar. D. (Little books on religion.) cl., 50 c.

Gerhard, W: Paul. Sanitary engineering. N. Y., published by the author, W: Paul Gerhard, 1898. c. 132 p. D. cl., \$1.25. [961 Relates especially to the water supply of cities and of dwellings: sewerage: prevention of pollutions of water-courses; sewage disposal; street pavements; street cleaning; removal of ice and snow; cleansing footways and sidewalks; removal of refuse; sanitation of towns; railway and ship sanitation, etc., etc.

Gissing, G: Rob. Charles Dickers: a critical study. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1898. c. 4+318 p. D. bds, \$2. [962 The writer of "Sleeping fires," "Unclassed," and "The whirlpool" sums up the work of Dickens by dividing it and looking at it from twelve points of view. His times; the growth of man and writer; the story-teller; art, veracity, and moral purpose; characterization; satire portraiture; women and children; humor and pathos; style; the radical; comparisons (with Zola, Balzac. Victor Hugo, Dostoleffsky); the latter years. The author takes for granted a thorough acquaintance with Dickens in his reader, and discusses plots and characters and scenes as though they were realities. He specially points out the unfailing optimism of Dickens, in which he differed from all the great realists who have preceded and followed him.

\*Grinling, C: H. History of the Great Nortl.

\*Grinling, C: H. History of the Great Northern railway, 1845-1895. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1898. 429 p. 8°, cl., net.

\*Hale, Edwin M., M.D. Saw palmetto: its history, botany, chemistry, pharmacelogy, provings, clinical experience, and therapeutic applications. Phil., Boericke & Tafel, 1898. 96 p. 12°, cl., 50 c.

Hall, Owen. The track of a storm. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898. c '95. 3-288 p. D. (Lippincott's select novels, no. 203.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. [965 See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., December 14, 1895, [1246]

Hall, Winfield S. A laboratory guide in physiology; with appendices on organization and equipment. Chic., Chicago Medical Book Co., 1897. c. 4+359 p. col. p'. il. D. cl., net, \$2.50. (Corr. title.) [966]

Honey, F: R. First lessons in linear perspective. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1898. 30 p. obl. O. pap., net, 50 c. [967] Prepared for the elementary instruction of persons having no knowledge of geometry; hence minute details are given, with the explanations accompanying plates.

\*Huysmans, J. K. La cathèdrale. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1898. 12°, cl., \$1.50. [968

\*Jakob, Christfried, M.D. Atlas of methods of clinical investigation; with an epitome of clinical diagnosis and of special pathology and treatment of internal diseases; authorized tr. from the German; ed. by A. A. Eshner, M.D. Phil., W. B. Saunders, 1898. c. 259 p. 8°, cl., net, \$3. [969]

\*Jane, F: T. All the world's fighting ships: illustrated portrait details of over one thousand warships, with notes and other useful statistics. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1898. 218 p. sm. 4°, cl., \$3.50. [970]

King, C: Ray's recruit. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1898. c. '97, '98. 4-249 p. 1 il. nar, S. (Lotos lib.) cl., 75 c. [971

The story of a young American, who at twenty-five finds himself almost without means, through the financial losses of an old uncle, who had been a father to him. In a moment of desperation he enlists in a United States Cavalry regiment. The ensuing events take place in the soldiers' quarters of a western camp, where there are some love making, some gossip, and an occasional sortic to fight the Indians.

\*Lawyers' reports annot. Book 38; all current cases of general value and importance, with full annot.; Burdett A. Rich, ed., and H: P. Farnham, asst. Rochester, N. Y., The Lawyers' Co-op. Pub. Co., 1898. c. 911 p. O. shp., \$5.

Le Gallienne, R: The romance of Zion chapel. N. Y., J: Lane, 1898. c. 5+297 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

D. cl., \$1.50. [973]
The young pastor of a Wesleyan Methodist chapel, situated in the midst of "a very old, very ignorant, very sooty, hard-hearted, stony-streeted, meanly grim, little provincial town" of England, is the central figure of the romance. He had come to New Zion in response to its advertised need for "new blood." His love for two women is the subject; the story ending in a tragedy. The chief attractions of the work are the author's dainty, graphic style, his clever analysis and delineation of character, and his subtle humor.

Lewis, Elizabeth Dike. Old prisons and punishments. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1898. c. 82-118 p. O. (Half moon ser., v. 2, no. 3.) pap., 10 c. [974]

Liederbuch des Vereins "Saccharomyces Cerevisiae": herausgegeben von den schülern der American Brewing Academy von Chicago. Chicago, Ill, Koelling & Klappenbach, 1898. 40 p. S. cl., 25 c. [975]

Linn, T., M.D. The health resorts of Europe: a medical guide to the mineral springs, climatic mountain and seaside health resorts, milk, whey, grape, earth, mud, sand, and air cures of Europe. New 5th ed. N.Y., Hirschfeld Bros., 1897. 320+3 p. il. map, D. limp cl., 75 c. [976]

Little masterpieces; ed. by Bliss Perry.
Daniel Webs'er: representative speeches.
N. Y., Doubleday & McClure Co., 1898. c.
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GALVESTON. TEX. - John R. Pettit, bookseller, has given a chattel mortgage and conveyed his stock to Thomas F. Lawson, trustee, for the benefit of creditors, to the amount of \$3678.

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MILWAUKEE, WIS .- We regret to learn that C. N. Caspar, one of the most enterprising booksellers in the country, has been obliged to make an assignment to Otto Gallun in favor of his creditors. It appears that the failure is due to the collapse of H. H. Zahn & Co., printers, of Milwaukee, for whom Mr. Caspar endorsed a number of notes. Nothing definite

is known as to what will be the outcome in regard to Mr. Caspar's business, but there seems to be reason to believe that matters can be satisfactorily arranged so that it can be continued without interruption.

NEW YORK CITY.-Fred. E. Luhden has retired from the firm of Albert Burnton & Co., of the West Side Book Store, 49 Sixth Avenue. Mr. Burnton has assumed the liabilities of the old firm and will carry on the business alone.

NEW YORK CITY.—The G. W. Dillingham Co. have removed from 33 W. 23d Street to Jefferson Building at 119-121 W. 23d Street.

NEW YORK CITY.-Wm. Helburn, publisher, and importer of architectural and art industrial books, announces the removal of his business to 123 Fifth Avenue.

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PORTLAND, ORE. - Stuart & Thompson have sold their stock of miscellaneous books to 1. R. Ewing, cor. 4th and Yamhill Streets.

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"I hold every man a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help and an ornament thereunto."—LORD BACON.

## SUBSCRIPTION-BOOK PUBLISHING METHODS.

THE subscription-book business is a distinct branch of the book trade, and is usually carried on as such exclusively, or, at least, entirely independent of other branches in which a firm may be engaged. Subscription-books are considered to be such publications as are sold by agents directly to the bookbuying public, and for which these agents solicit subscribers by means of canvassing. It is implied that such books will not be put in the hands of the bookseller, and that they cannot be had in bookstores.

In this country two features prevail as to the general nature or character of subscription-books. The first class comprises the very choicest works issued from the American press, expensive or medium in price, which the publishers have special reasons for not selling through the trade—i.e., the publishers expect to increase the sale of these publications by pushing them through the aid of a corps of well-trained and experienced canvassers.

The second class consists chiefly of popular books, medium or low in price, that very frequently have little merit in reference to their contents or "get-up," calculated for the great multitude, who, it is believed, seldom or never visit a bookstore, and who could not be reached effectively except through personal solicitation by agents.

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Subscription-book publishers, as a rule, take every precaution that their books, at least when first issued, shall not be handled by booksellers, or shall not be found for sale in bookstores, in order to give their agents the prestige of claiming that the particular book they sell is not for sale in local stores, and can only be had through them. However, most of these publishers begin to sell their productions to the trade as soon

as the novelty is worn off. This is particularly the case with popular books. Publishers of the better grade of books, those which have an intrinsic value, in many instances follow the practice of allowing to local booksellers a commission for such subscriptions as they may obtain; but the publishers prefer to forward the book direct to the address of the subscriber, and to collect the amount due through their agents.

Few, if any, of the better class of subscription books are ever found in bookstores. Dealers in second-hand books, however, very often have copies (or know where to procure them) of all such or similar works soon after their appearance. Publishers cannot prevent their subscribers from selling their copies, for one reason or another, to dealers, who will offer these copies, as a matter of course, at a reduced price. A system of numbering each copy of subscription books, as they leave the bindery, has been adopted by leading subscription-book publishers-an arrangement which enables the publisher to trace the agent who sold it, and to what subscriber the book was originally sold. This method makes it possible for the publisher to determine, without going to much trouble, whether an agent has broken his contract and sold copies of the book in question to dealers, allowing them some discount.

Very often the publishers overestimate the demand for a certain book, and print more copies than the public will buy. In such instances the surplus of stock is unloaded, through auction sales or other means, on the general book trade, or the copies that are practically dead stock are sold in lump to some prominent newspaper or magazine, to be utilized as premiums. As a very conspicuous example of this kind may be pointed out the memoir literature of the late war. "General Grant's Memoirs" had probably the largest sale of any subscription work ever issued from the American press. Over 650,000 copies, it is stated, were sold. But in time the sale dropped suddenly, and the large remainder of the work was sold, together with other memoirs-by Generals Sheridan and McClellan, and othersto an enterprising magazine, which offered each of the following memoirs of generals to its subscribers for 70 cents a copy: Grant's, 2 vols., subscription, \$7; Sherman's, 2 vols., subscription, \$5; McClellan's, I vol., subscription, \$3.75; Sheridan's 2 vols., subscription, \$6, and R. E. Lee's, I vol., subscription, \$3.75. Other cases will no doubt be fresh in the reader's mind without having them pointed out here.

The successful subscription-book agents who canvass for the better class of subscription-books are, as a rule, gentlemen of culture and refinement, and of good address. Some of them find

their calling very remunerative, often yielding them from \$150 to \$500 per month. These agents are doing missionary work by introducing literature, i.e., good books and works of art, in circles that would never dream of buying these or similar works in a bookstore. Many canvassers for popular or useful works often introduce the first books to the home of the mechanic or farmer, and create a taste for reading among people, who have perhaps paid no attention to books since their school days. In the sparsely-inhabited districts of the Wild West the book agent becomes in fact the pioneer of literature and science, as the people inhabiting those sections of the country have no other means of getting books or of becoming acquainted with them. Hundreds of copies of a book, be it good, bad, or indifferent, are not infrequently sold in one county to people who never saw a bookstore, nor ever ordered a volume through a book-dealer to be sent to them by mail.

On the other hand, much evil is brought about by unscrupulous publishers, through the issue of so-called subscription-books, which have nothing whatever about them to excuse their existence, and which are not worth the paper, poor as that may be, they are printed on. Some of these modern literary (?) productions, usually printed on a pink tinted paper, and still more defaced by the silliest steel engravings (after the pattern of some old fashion magazine or "annual gift-book" in vogue about seventyfive years ago), are utterly worthless, if not worse. They dwell chiefly on moral conducta certain kind of so-called Christian religion; manners; Indian stories; history of wild men and beasts; life among the Mormons, or in convents; etiquette; how to get and keep a husband [or wife], as the case may be; The Hidden Treasure; The Golden Censer; Royal Path to Happiness, etc. These themes are generally treated in a wishy-washy, goodygoody or sensational if not vicious manner, that oftener does more harm to the reader than it enlightens him on these subjects. This class of books, however, it is fair to say, is rapidly going out of existence. The public has so often been cheated in purchasing, at a high price, valueless truck from agents, that for some time past a reaction has indeed been noticeable, and everybody is more careful in buying. A publisher who desires to be absolutely certain that his productions will find a market must at present offer something that is worth having, and at a lower price than could be formerly asked.

The success of a subscription book publishing firm does not so much depend on the merits of its books, or their "get-up," i.e., the style of printing or binding, or quality of paper, as it does upon

its manager's knack of selecting and retaining such agents as are particularly fit to sell books on the subscription plan. A good agent can sell almost any book. There are many people who have been successful in business and who have money enough to enable them to indulge in the luxury of purchasing books, either for amusement or instruction. If these are approached by a persuasive agent, they are apt to be seized with a desire for books, and consequently give the agent an order, vaguely hoping that in this way they may be doing something for their "neglected education." These people are seldom or never seen inside of a bookstore, nor have they any idea of what books would be suitable for them, and know nothing about the prices, editions, binding, printing, etc., of books. They may perhaps be familiar with the more famous names in literature, such as Shakespeare, Byron, Burns, Walter Scott, Thackeray, Dickens, George Eliot, Bulwer, etc., and will buy these works in any editions offered to them through canvassers. These editions are frequently gotten up in large clumsy octavo volumes, poorly printed on spongy paper, and in the dullest binding imaginable, for which the subscribers will pay double the price at which neat, handy editions can be had in any local bookstore. An Eastern subscription house, that has more than thirty branch offices throughout the country, and employs several hundred canvassers, is at this moment putting on the market editions of the best authors, which answer the description above mentioned very closely. Nevertheless, this firm sells a large quantity of these very editions at a high price, for the simple reason that their manager evidently understands "the ropes." Being ignorant that neat and cheap editions can be had at the bookstore, the public pays an extraordinary price for inferior editions of standard works, because the subscription-book publisher pays his agents a large commission for presenting them at the homes of the bookbuyer.

Other important subscription books, besides the standard authors, are the following: Bibles and religious works in general; scientific and domestic medical works; receipt books; legal advisers, or everybody's lawyers; social and business forms; biographies; histories; war books; travels; works of art; wit and humor; encyclopædias; dictionaries, etc. Nine-tenths of all large family Bibles are sold through canvassers. Valuable scientific treatises and monographs, which otherwise might never be printed, are also published by subscription. Local poets very often find the subscription plan the only possible means of delivering their immortal writings to posterity.

## THE FIRST ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF GRIMM'S TALES.

DR. O. HARTWIG, the editor of the Centralblatt für Bibliothekswesen, published by O. Harrassowitz, of Leipzig, contributes to a recent issue of that valuable magazine an article on the first English translation of the brothers Grimm's" Kinder und Haus Märchen," in which he publishes interesting letters from the translator, Edgar Taylor, and Sir Walter Scott, Jacob and Wilhelm Grimm, and G. F. Benecke. The letters from the brothers Grimm were given to Dr. Hartwig during a recent stay in Florence by Jessie, Edgar Taylor's still surviving daughter, and widow of Karl Hillebrand. Those of Benecke, Scott, and Taylor to the brothers Grimm were received from their relative, Dr. Hermann Grimm. Scott's letter is specially interesting as showing his high appreciation of those simple German tales and of Taylor's translation: "When my family were at the happy age of being auditors of fairy tales I very often endeavored to translate them in such an extempore manner as I could, and was gratified by the pleasure which the German fictions seemed to convey. In memory of which our old family cat still bears the foreign name of Hintze, which so often occurs in these little narratives. . . . Independently of the curious circumstances that such tales should be found existing in very different countries and languages, which argues a greater poverty of human invention than we would have expected, there is also a sort of wild fairy interest in them which makes me think them fully better adapted to awaken the imagination and soften the heart of childhood than the good-boy stories which have been in later years composed for them. In the latter case their minds are, as it were, put into the stocks like their feet at the dancing school, and the moral always consists in good moral conduct being crowned with temporal success. Truth is, I would not give one tear shed over 'Little Red Riding-Hood' for all the benefit to be derived from a hundred histories of Tommy Goodchild."

Edgar Taylor was the fifth son of Samuel Taylor, of Norfolk, and a descendant of Dr. John Taylor, of Norwich (the "Athens of England in the 18th century), the author of a famous Hebrew Concordance. He was born in Banham, Norfolk, January 28, 1793. In 1814 he went to London, and three years later opened a law office in partnership with Robert Roscoe, the biographer of Lorenzo di Medici and Leo x. The first volume of his translation of the "German Popular Stories" was published by C. Baldwyn in 1823, and the second volume by James Robins in 1826, both with illustrations by the translator's friend, George Cruikshank. These illustrations, in the simple directness and effectiveness of their execution, and in their fertile and unencumbered fancy, rank as the artist's masterpieces. These volumes have become exceedingly scarce, and have in late years commanded as high a price as £65.

Sotheby, Wilkinson & Hodge, of London, in June, 1897, catalogued a number of first editions of this translation in the library of H. W. Bruton, whose collections of Cruikshankiana was remarkably complete. We reprint the items as a guide to collectors:

No. 182 Grimm (M. M.) German Popular Stories, translated from the Kinder und Haus

Märchen, collected by M. M. Grimm, 2 vol. First edition. C. Baldwyn, 1823, and James Robins, 1826.

This is probably the finest copy extant of the most highly prized of all G.[eorge] C.[ruikshank]'s works. Vol. I is in the original illustrated boards. Vol. II is in the original cloth, with proof impressions of the plates on india paper—the ordinary copies of vol. II were issued in pink boards. Both vols. are wonderfully fresh and clean. An error on the vignette title of vol. I shows it to be of the earliest issue. The "a" in Märchen is not modified but is printed Marchen, the error being corrected in the later issue of the first edition. It is unquestionably an earlier issue of vol. I than that in which the india plates appeared, as all the latter have the error corrected. The second state of the title-page and also the title of the 1834 edition of vol. I are loosely inserted. Each vol. is enclosed in a brown morocco case, satin lined.

No. 183 Grimm. German Popular Stories, another copy, 2 vol. First edition, in the original boards as issued, uncut; ib. 1823-26.

These vols are in exceptionally fine condition, and vol. I is the earliest issue with the error on the vignette title.

No. 184 Grimm. German Popular Stories, vol. I only, second issue of first edition, with the error on title-page corrected; ib. 1826.

In this later issue the list of plates on page 218 is omitted, and the note to the preface, page VII "We have another popular song, etc.," is placed first, whereas in the early issues it appears as the last note.

No. 185 Grimm. German Popular Stories, 2 vol. original cloth. I: Robins & Sherwood; Gilbert & Piper, 1834.

This edition was issued with transfers on stones from the original plate. The vols, are clean as when first issued.

No. 186 Grimm. German Popular Stories with introduction by J. Ruskin, Large Paper, half roxburghe; J. C. Hotten, n. d.

No. 187 Grimm. German Popular Stories, Proof Etchings comprising a complete set on india paper, illustrating vol. I, together with duplicates of 9 of the etchings in early states including the vignette title before letters, being the only plate in this state, known—also a set of proofs on india paper in early states of the 10 etchings illustrating vol. II. The plates attached to hinged sunk mounts and handsomely bound in green morocco super extra, g. e. by Riviere. 1823–26.

The early states were from the artist's own collection and are unique. Mr. Ruskin, writing of these etchings, says: "They are unrivalled in masterfulness of touch since Rembrandt—in some qualities of delineation unrivalled even by him."

No. 188 Grimm. Vieux Contes pour l'Amusement des Grands et des Petits Enfans, ornés de 12 gravures comiques, half bound. Paris, A Boulland, 1830.

This is "the impudent little volume" referred to by Hotten in the preface to his re-issue of Grimm and contains the copies by Tardieu (issued as his own production) of G. C.'s illustrations to the first series."

Taylor also published (in 1825) a translation of the German minnesingers under the title of "The Lays of the Minnesingers or German Troubadours of the 12th and 13th Centuries"; "The Book of Rights, or, Constitutional Acts and Parliamentary Proceedings" (London, A. Maxwell, 1833); "Master Wace's Chronicle of the Norman Conquest, from the 'Roman de Rou,' translated with the notes and illustrations, by E. T." (London, Pickering, 1837); and in 1839 a collection of Grimm's popular tales under the title of "Gammer Grethel from Grimm and others, translated by Taylor."

After a twelve years' struggle with a painful disease Taylor died August 19, 1839.

INJUNCTION OBTAINED BY HARPER & BROS. VS. HOLMAN & CO. REMOVED.

JUDGE EDWARD G. BRADFORD filed an opinion in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, March 28, reversing the decision of the United States Circuit Court under which there had been granted a preliminary injunction restraining A. J. Holman & Co. from the making of an alleged infringement on Harper & Brothers' copyrighted book by Dr. Nansen relating to arctic explorations. The text of the opinion

is as follows:

"This is an appeal from an interlocutory decree awarding a preliminary injunction restraining the defendants below, appellants [A. J. Holman & Co.] 'from directly or indirectly advertising, offering to sell, selling or otherwise disposing of any books, either in the English language or in the Norwegian language, which are named, advertised, or offered for sale in such manner as to indicate that they are the books printed or published by the complainant [Harper & Brothers]; and also from printing upon or using in connection with any books the words 'The Fram Expedition. Nansen in the Frozen World,' or any similar title or combination of words, or any imitation of the name of the complainant's books; and from in these ways and in any other way, form or manner whatever, infringing upon or interfering with the rights and business of the complainant in the premises. The complainant's books referred to consist of an English translation of an account of the recent Norwegian polar expedition conducted by Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, composed by him mainly, if not wholly, in the Norwegian language, and an appendix containing an English translation of the report of Captain Otto Sverdrup relating to the drifting of the steamer Fram, composed by the latter in the Norwegian and translated into the English language. The complainant claims that it duly obtained copyright in and to the above work for the United States February 8, 1897, and that it was put on the market in March of the same year, all of the requirements of the law relating to copyright having been complied with. The cause of controversy between the parties was the publication, in both the Norwegian and English languages, and sale by A. J. Holman & Co., of which firm the appellants are survivors, during and after June, 1897, of a certain book, the composition of which need not be here stated with any particularity of detail. It is sufficient to say that it contains part of the same, or of substantially the same, literary matter found in the complainant's book, also a number of portraits and p'etorial illustrations similar to those made use of by the complainant in its book, and accounts of sundry arctic expeditions, prior to Dr. Nansen's polar voyage, to which reference is also made in the complainant's book.

"Although the complainant in its bill deals largely with the question of infringement by the defendants of rights claimed to have been secured to the former by copyright, we, like the learned judge below, are not satisfied that the defendants were not at liberty to make use of the text, portraits, and pictorial illustrations contained in their book by way of publication and sale; and, therefore, for the purpose of disposing of this appeal it must be assumed that

the defendants possessed that right. The injunction was based upon supposed unfair competition in trade by the defendants in putting their book on the market. It is a wholesome doctrine that equity will restrain unfair competition in trade; but it should be applied with caution, lest, through possible misapplication, healthful and honorable competition be defeated. Particularly is this true with respect to literary, historical, and scientific works. The complainant was not entitled to a monopoly in the subject of arctic explorations; nor had it an exclusive right to publish and sell books relating to Nansen's polar expedition. That subject was open to the world. Nor had the complainant an exclusive right, as against the defendants, to the use of the words 'The Fram Expedition. Nansen in the Frozen World,' or any of them. There can be little doubt that Nansen's exploits served to kindle popular interest in arctic explorations. In fact the record discloses that they were the proximate cause of the publication by the defendants of their book. But this circumstance does not in the least militate against good faith or fair dealing on their part. It appears that months before Nansen began to write an account of the expedition the defendants had determined to publish a book on that and kindred subjects. Nor does the appearance or title of the defendants' book disclose any intent to indulge in unfair competition with the complainant. Certainly the difference between the two books is obvious to any ordinary customer of such works. The complainant's book is in two volumes containing respectively 587 and 714 pages, and is bound in brown cloth. The defendants' book is in one volume, containing, in the English edition, 531 pages, and in the Norwegian edition 524 pages, and is bound in blue cloth in both editions. The complainant's book contains on the outside cover a circular figure enclosing the words, 'Farthest North. Nansen,' and on the inside title-page the words and figures: ' Farthest North. Being the Record of a Voyage of Exploration of the Ship Fram, 1893-96, and of a Fifteen Months' Sleigh Journey by Dr. Nansen and Lieut. Johansen. By Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, with an appendix by Otto Sverdrup, Captain of the Fram. About 120 full-page and Numerous Text Illustrations. 16 colored Plates in facsimile from Dr. Nansen's Own Sketches, etched Portrait, Photogravures and 4 Maps. In Two Volumes, Vol. 1. New York. Harper & Brothers, Publishers, 1897.' The second volume is like the first, both in the outside cover and title and inside title-page, except that it is marked 'Vol. 2' instead of 'Vol. 1.'

"The defendants' book contains on the outside cover the picture of a ship in the ice, with a flag on her foremast bearing the word 'Fram,' with a polar bear in the foreground, and the words, in the English edition, 'The Fram Expedition. Nansen in the Frozen World. Including earlier Arctic explorations.' On the inside title-page of the English edition are the words and figures, 'The Fram Expedition. Nansen in the Frozen World. Preceded by a Biography of the Great Explorer and copious Extracts from Nansen's "First Crossing of Greenland." Also an account by Eivind Astrup, of Life Among People near the Pole, and his Journey Across Northern Greenland with

Lieut. R. E. Peary, U.S.N. Arranged and Edited by S. L. Berens, Cand. Phil. Followed by a Brief History of the Principal Earlier Arctic Explorations, from the Ninth Century to the Peary Expedition, including those of Cabot, Frobisher, Bering, Sir John Franklin, Kane, Hayes, Hall, Nordenskjold, Nares, Schwatka, De Long, Greely, and others. By John E. Read, Assistant Editor of the "Columbian Cyclopedia." Profusely illustrated. Philadelphia, Pa. A. J. Holman & Co. Publishers. The Norwegian edition of the defend-1897.' The Norwegian edition of the defendants' book contains on its cover and inside title-page words in that language corresponding with the words on the cover and inside title-page of the English edition. The complainant's book in two volumes sells at \$10, and that of the defendants at \$2. It is evident that the two books are calculated respectively to meet the demands of different classes of purchasers. There is nothing deceptive in the cover, outside title, or title-page of the defendants' book. Those titles, taken in conjunction, are fairly descriptive of the subject matter of the volume. They radically differ from the outside title and title-page of the complainant's book. Comparing the two works, we are unable to perceive that any ordinary customer of such books possessing common intelligence should, in the absence of actual fraud practiced upon him, mistake the one for the other, without gross carelessness on his part. The answer expressly denies fraud and unfair competition. It is a rule, subject to few, if any, exceptions, that a preliminary injunction should not be awarded on ex parte affidavits, unless in a clear case. This rule has full application in a case like the present, where, though the bill should ultimately be dismissed, great damage would result from such an injunction to the standing and business of a book publishing house. If there be any substantial doubt as to the right to a preliminary injunction in such a case, it should be refused. In the present state of the proofs the court below was not justified in holding that the defendants have been guilty of unfair competition in trade. Consequently, the decree for a preliminary injunction must be reversed and the injunction dissolved."

#### A WARNING TO UNDERSELLERS.

MR. M'GEE, a bookseller of Dublin, distributes a printed leaflet headed "A Sad Warning." The first portion of this leaflet consists of the obituary notice of one Alexander Brown, a bookseller of Edinburgh, who was the first in that city to allow the discount of 3d. in the shilling. The evils of competition, it seems, left him in the end entirely dependent upon charity; and Mr. M'Gee takes this opportunity to cite his case as a warning.

This melancholy ending (says the Dublin tradesman) of a very busy and arduous life ought to prove a warning to those booksellers who have foolishly adopted the insane custom of selling books without profit, i.e., allowing threepence in the shilling discount (and for which the public gives them small credit). To this system there can be but the same sad termination as in the case of the late lamented Mr. Alexander Brown."

Mr. M'Gee, it appears, will not allow the discount, and the leaflet is his apologia.

#### WILLIAM MCLENNAN'S DEFENCE.

THE charges of plagiarism brought by T. G. Marquis in the Bookman, against William McLennan, for his unacknowledged use of an original memoir as the material for his story, "Spanish John," were summarized in our last issue. In the current number of the Bookman Mr. McLennan presents a defence and explanation of the charge. He states that the original manuscript of the tale contains a preface "carefully acknowledging every source from which I drew the facts woven into the story, but that this preface was not required for the serial publication in Harper's Monthly, and that in pressure of other work its insertion was overlooked when the story was revised for book form; "in any future edition such a preface will appear." Regarding the use of Col. M. M'Donell's memoir, Mr. McLennan states that it "is not by any means the bibliographical rarity that Mr. Marquis believes"; that a number of copies exist; that it is familiar to students of Canadian history; and that 'surely, if any printed matter could be looked upon as 'material' this was such." The proportion of literal extracts from the original memoir used in "Spanish John" Mr. McLennan at first says "do not amount to more than one-tenth of the matter used," though he later says, "by the most liberal construction of what constitutes a literal extract, the total material used in unaltered form will be found to form not more than one-fifth of the whole." The incidents in the story, he states, were taken not only from M'Donell's memoir, but from Père Labat, O'Callaghan, and other chroniclers of the period, and used "with or without altera-tions," to suit the story-teller's purpose and to suit the story-teller's purpose, and he cites the creation of the two characters of Father O'Rourke and Captain Creach as proof of originality.

The charge and its defence raise a nice question of literary ethics; but it may be doubted if Mr. McLennan's explanation serves

also as a justification.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

UNION LIBRARY ASSOCIATION EXPLAINS.

New York, March 21, 1898.

To the Editor of The Publishers' Weekly.

DEAR SIR: Referring to the article in The Publishers' Weekly of March 19, from one W. B. Clarke (no address), we beg to say that we suspected duplicity on the part of Clarke's "cat's-paw," a man by the name of Lane, from Brookline, Mass., and shaped our replies accordingly. Needless to say, the list sent him is not the correct one. The correct list may be seen, however, at our office by anyone who has not an underhanded scheme on foot and will take the trouble to call.

We expected antediluvian booksellers to howl, because we have money, nerve, and enterprise enough to do some advertising. If they would do the same thing they would not have so much time to work underhanded schemes to get information and get up scurri-

lous articles.

On a previous occasion we said we desired no controversy with anyone, but if it is forced upon us we are ready for it. It is utterly absurd for this man Clarke to say that the books listed by us are of the "cheap and nasty sort," as you can judge for yourselves, copies of the catalogues to which he refers being mailed you under separate cover. Yours very truly,

THE UNION LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

[It is not clear to us in what way an opinion formed of the books in the catalogues sent to us by the Union Library Association can invalidate the criticism of the books on the lists seen by Mr. Clarke, inasmuch as the lists are not identical. In fact the Union Library Association distinctly says "needless to say the list sent him [Mr. Clarke's supposed informant] is not the correct one." And yet, "Clarke's 'cat'spaw,'" as the Union Library Association delicately puts it, had no means of knowing that he was being led astray, because the Union Library Association distinctly assured its correspondent, in the letter dated February 21, 1898: "We presume you wish this list for some special purpose and that you have no idea of ordering the books; at the same time, you are welcome to the list if it satisfies your curiosity, or if you are a dealer and wish to know whether the books could actually be supplied for the low sum named." We have reason to believe that Mr. Clarke, who has for many years enjoyed the reputation of being one of the foremost booksellers of Boston, obtained his information legitimately, and is above employing "under-handed schemes." If the information investigated by him was meant to be misleading, we do not understand why Mr. Clarke should be called names for expressing his opinion of the evidence before him.-ED. P. W.]

#### NOTES ON AUTHORS.

ROBERT BARR, the novelist, has just landed in this country. His plans have not yet been made public.

It is reported that Emile Zola is to come to America for a lecture tour as soon as he shall be permitted to do so by certain complications in which he is involved in France. Edmund Gerson, of New York it is said will be his manager. Mr. Gerson has translated several of his books. Zola has been permitted to take an appeal from his conviction, and the time of his visit to America will depend upon the result.

The birthday of Henrik Ibsen was celebrated in Christiania, Norway, on Monday, March 21, with great festivities. Ibsen was born at Skien, a small town on the coast of Norway, in 1828. At sixteen he became a druggist and later studied medicine. But his tastes were literary, and in 1851 Ole Bull, the violinist, appointed him director of the National Theatre at Bergen, where he began to work for dramatic fame. He has lived in Christiania, Rome, Ischia, Dresden, and Munich, and has written a new play about every second year. King Oscar telegraphed the poet and dramatist: "I and the queen send you our cordial congratulations on your 70th birthday. Your day of honor is likewise a day of honor for the Norwegian people."

#### JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

Peterson's Magazine, one of the oldest monthly periodicals in the country, has been purchased by Frank A. Munsey, and will be published hereafter from his New York office.

The Parisian for April contains a study of Gabriele d'Annunzio, by the veteran critic Gaston Deschamps. The Deutsche Rundschau has recently published a critical article on d'Annunzio, by Lady Blennerhasset, which is particularly severe toward the poet-novelist.

The New England Magazine for April opens with an article on the famous wood engraver William James Linton, who recently died at New Haven. The author, Mr. Burton J. Hendrick, is himself a resident of New Haven to whom Linton was long a familiar figure. The story of his life is supplemented with reproductions from many of Linton's best-known engravings, together with views of his home in New Haven and two portraits.

UNDER the caption of "The Literary Moves ment in Germany," John G. Robertson devotesome space, in the March Cosmopolis, to a survey of contemporary German fiction. Other interesting features of this issue of Cosmopolis are Samuel Taylor Coleridge's "Notes on Flögel's History of Comic Literature," edited by H. Buxton Forman, and a long poem by George Meredith, entitled "Revolution"—the first of his Odes in Contribution to the Song of French History.

THE Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post, one of the oldest weekly journals in this country, has recentlybeen purchased by Cyrus H. K. Curtis, publisher of the Ladies' Home Journal. William G. Jordan, formerly of Book Chat and Current Literature, and during the past year managing editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, has been placed in charge of the Post, which promises well for its future. Mr. Jordan proposes to conduct the paper on partly original and partly eclectic lines, which will erable him to draw upon the best in literature and art in America and England. The office of publication is on Arch, near Fifth Street, Philadelphia.

#### OBITUARY NOTES.

JAMES PAYN, the well-known editor of Chambers' Journal and the Cornhill Magazine, and a novelist of recognized standing, died on Friday, March 25. James Payn was born at Cheltenham, England, on February 8, 1835, and was educated at Eton, Woolwich Academy, and Trinity College, Cambridge. Among his best-known books are "The Family Scapegrace," "Married Beneath Him," "Found Dead," "A Perfect Treasure," "Like Father, Like Son," "A Woman's Vengeance," "The Best of Husbands," "Two Hundred Pounds Reward," "For Cash Only," "Thicker Than Water," "The Luck of the Darrells," "A Prince of the Blood," etc.

ABNER CHENEY GOODELL died at his home, in Highland Street, Boston, on Sunday, March 27, at the age of ninety-three. His life was full of remarkable achievements. He was born in North Orange, Mass., on February 9, 1805. He was of an inventive turn of mind, and perfected the first printing-press that printed on both sides in one operation. His inventions

in this line became the foundation of the present Hoe press. He also perfected the preparation of copper and steel plates for use by engravers, and in this line of work he was highly successful.

PROF. HENRY ALLYN FRINK, of the department of logic, rhetoric, and public speaking, at Amherst College, died at Amherst, Mass., on Friday, March 25, of heart failure. He had been at Amherst since 1885. Prior to that time he had been for many years connected with Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y. He was graduated from Hamilton in 1870 at the head of his class, and for the next two years studied theology at Union Seminary. He was licensed as a preacher in 1877. Professor Frink was the author, in collaboration with Prof. Austin Phelps, of "Rhetoric: Its Theory and Practice." He also prepared "The Century Speaker," a collection of orations, which is to be published in April.

HANS WACHENHUSEN, the German novelist, died in Marburg, Prussia, March 23. He was born in Trieste, December 31, 1827. His varied experiences as war correspondent furnished him with matter for a number of military works, including "From Widdin to Constantinople," "A Visit to the Turkish Camp," "The New Paris," "Under the White Eagle," "Behind the Intrenchments of Düppel," "Volunteers and Royalists," etc. He was also the author of "The Women of the Third Empire," "The Golgotha of the Heart," "The Vampire," "Young Girl," "Yellow Rose," "The Count Betsany," "The Wife's Secret," "History of a Beauty," "Satan's Gold," and "Sacrificed."

#### LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

A. & C. BLACK, pending the publication of the 10th edition, in 1901, of the "Encyclopædia Britannica," have made arrangements to reprint the last (the 9th) edition of the work, which will be published at less than half the former price.

In our spring announcement classified list (March 12), under the heading Poetry and Drama, "Heartsease and Other Verses," published by the Burrows Brothers Company, was erroneously entered as "Hearthstone and Other Verses,"

THE announcement that Anthony Hope's novel, "Rupert of Hentzau," now running in McClure's Magazine, is soon to appear in book form is an error. It cannot so appear until it has been concluded in McClure's, and this will not be until midsummer at least.

E. R. HERRICK & Co. will publish shortly a book of short stories, entitled "A Little Lady, Myself, and Other Stories," by Thomas W. Hall, popularly known as "Tom Hall." They expect to publish in June another volume of short fiction by the same author.

The book business of the late L. Conquet, of Paris, has been purchased by Léopold Carteret, who will continue it under the firm-name of "L'Ancienne Librarie L. Conquet. Léopold Carteret et Cie. successeur." Cartaret is well known to the constituency of the firm, and to

the habitués of Druot's, having been Conquet's right-hand man for over ten years.

THE HON, WM. A. WILDE, the well-known publisher of Boston, accompanied by Mrs. Wilde and her sister, Miss Hoyt, sailed from New York on Saturday, March 26, on the Fulda for Italy. The party will journey leisurely northward through Italy, France, and Germany for health and pleasure, but especially to give Mr. Wilde the benefit of the waters at the German health resorts. Miss Hoyt, who is the author of "Historic Schools of Painting," is gathering material for a new volume.

A CHICAGO department store announces the purchase of 250,000 volumes comprising the entire stock of the Weeks Publishing Co., successors to E. A. Weeks & Co., of Chicago, who failed in 1897; the entire stock of the Home Book Co.; a large portion of the miscellaneous books of Merrill & Baker, who have decided to drop everything except their subscription-book business; "the cream" of the stock of the Cassell Publishing Co., who are retiring from business; and a large portion of the receivers' stock of the American Publishers Corporation. All are to be sold at "one-quarter value." "Sic transit gloria mundi."

Marlier, Callanan & Co., the Catholic publishers, of Boston. Mass. (successors to Thomas B. Noonan & Co.), announce a work on "Clerical Studies," by Very Rev. John Hogan, S.S., D.D., president of St. John's Ecclesiastical Seminary, Boston. It is a summary of a series of articles contributed by the author to the American Ecclesiastical Review. The fourth centenary of the death of Fra Girolamo Savonarola, the great Dominican monk, reformer, and patriot, of Florence, is the occasion for a sketch, biographical and critical, from the pen of Rev. J. L. O'Neil, of the same order, which will be published by Marlier, Callanan & Co., about the middle of May.

Among the choice Easter books published this year by The Taber-Prang Art Company are: "Easter Lilies," bright with life-like groups of this favorite flower treated in a most artistic manter; "Spring's First Message, which shows brilliant crecusses in gold and violet on the cover plate, with further pictures and quotations from the poets on these beautiful spring flowers on the succeeding plates; "A Dream of Violets," by Bessie Gray, an Easter poem, and in its charming setting of violets all that its name implies; "Lilies of Peace," a tender poem for Eastertide, by Bessie Gray, most fittingly illustrated by the author with original designs of !ilies-of-the-valley, with a cover ornamented with a bunch of liliesof-the-valley, relieved against which is a circular medallion bearing the figure of a flying dove; and "Firstlings of the New-born Year, an artistic arrangement of violets, with white and gold decorations. While the confusion incident to the consolidation of these two noted companies, The Taber Ait Company and L. Prang & Co., has, in a measure, restricted the line for this season, it has in nowise interfered with the high artistic excellence which these firms have always maintained. This strictly American line has a beauty and distinctiveness all its own which appeals irresistibly to all lovers

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Catalogues of second-hand books, America and England.

The Dreamer, The Emerald. Knots. The Connoisseur Courrier Innocent. Pot-Pourri, no. 2. Papyrus, odd nos. Truth-in-Boston, odd nos.
In Town, odd nos.; pub. in England.
The Dome, odd nos.; pub. in England.
Anti-Philistine, odd nos.; pub. in England.

A. G., P. O. Box 943, N. Y. Joubert's Pensées. English translation. Taylor, Isaac, The Alphabet.

A. M. Allen, 412 River St., Troy, N. Y. Bingham's Columbian Orator McClelland's Bayonet Practice. Century, May, 1897

American Baptist Publication Society, Chicago. Robert South's Sermons, 5 v. Hurd & Houghton. Cathcart's Ancient British and Irish Churches. A. B.

Amer. Bapt Pub. Soc., 182 5th Ave., N. Y. Native Races of the Pacific States of North America, by Hubert H. Bancroft, 5 v., full cf.

American Magazine Exchange, Emilie Bld g., St. Louis, Mo.

Popular Science Monthly, Oct., 1892; April, May, June, Sept., '96; Oct., '97 to Feb., '98 and index. v. 1-40.

Brush and Pencil, no. 1, Sept., 1897, at 50 cents.

Sportsman's Magazine after March, 1897, bound or unbound bound

American Press Co., Baltimore, Md. Tiger Lilies.
Dutchman's Fireside, by Jas. K. Paulding.
Iron Age. Quote nos. for 1888, '89, '90, '91, '92.
Lincolniana and Civil War, anything scarce.

D. A. K. Andrus, Rockford, III.

Morgan's League of the Iroquois.

Ancient Society.

Humphrey's Coin Collectors's Manual, Bohn 2-v. ed.

Wm. Ballantyne & Sons, 428 7th St., N. W., Washing. ton, D. C. New England Historical Register, v. 16.

N. J. Bartlett & Co., 28 Cornhill, Boston, Mass. Burke's Works, Bohn Lib., old binding. Martineau's Peace, Bohn Lib., old binding. Peter Parley's Geog. in Rhyme. Coleridge, Ancient Mariner, il by Doré. Harper, 1876. Trowbridge, Old Battle Ground. Norton, Lost and Saved. Collins, Fallen Leaves. Cudlip, Married at Last. Hector, Well Won. Blake, Lady of Lyons. Bradley, Patience Hathaway. Conklin, Uncle Seth's Will. Fawcett, How a Husband Forgave. Arthur, Old Man's Bride. Arthur, Old Man's Bride.

W. E. Benjamin, 10 W. 22d St., N. Y. Reminiscences of the Last Days of Henry Lee, C. C. Memoir of Margaret Mercer, by Caspar Morris. Philadelphia, 1884. Sir Percival, by Shorthouse. Sketch of the Life of Silas Talbot. N. Y., 1803. Tuckerman's Life of Silas Talbot.

The Contrast, Royall Tyler. Dunlap Society. Ruskin, Præterita v. 3 N. Y., 1889. History of Bayard. London, 1883. Randall, Life of Jefferson, 3 v. N. Y., 1858. Parton, Life of Jackson, 3 v. N. Y., 1865. Kingsbury Genealogy. The Book-Shop, 171 Madison St., Chicago, III.

Life, nos. 1 to 52 incl., 137, 157. 176, 179, 287, 288, 289, 290, 297, 301, 307 to 310 incl., 312, 313, 314, 318, 319, 320, 322, 323, 325, 327 to 331 incl , 333, 335. 390, 405, 559, 575, 652, Savage's Genealogical Dictionary.

A Sober and Temperate Life, by Louis Cornaro, an Italian nobleman.

The Boston Book Co., Freeman Place Chapel, Boston, Mass.

Open Court, v. 2, nos. 47 and 49, at 25 cents each.

North American Review, April, 1849.

Boston Cheap Book Store, 506 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
Abbott's Lives of the Presidents.
Major and Minor, Paul Laurence Dunbar.
Armstead, Tribute to the Negro.
Wm. Wells Brown, The Black Man.
Harriet Martineau's Works.
Bancroft, Hist. of New Mexico and Arizona.
Diary of Philip Hone.
Delmonico's Cook-Book.
Franco-American Cook-Book. Franco-American Cook-Book.

The Bowen-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind. James A Garfield, Works.

Bewers & Loy, 10 Park Pl., N. Y. Set of Balzac, English trans.
Metternich Memoirs, v. 1, 2, 5.
Memoirs of Fouché.
"Marbot. Works of Jefferson, v. 2.

" " Alexander Hamilton, v. 2.
Prescott's Charles v., v. 2.
Spenser, British Poets, v. 1.
A B C Code.

Brentano's, 218 Wabash Ave., Chicago, III. Sweet Singer of Michigan, by Julia A. Moore. Pub. by Ryder, of Cleveland. A Life Drama, by Alexander Smith, Pub. by Ticknor & Fields or Alexander Strahan, London, 1866.

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Roberts' Printers' Marks. Macmillan.
Henry James, Substance and Shadow.
"Moralism and Christianity.
"Nature of Evil.
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"Christianity Logic of Creation.
Tulk's Spiritual Christianity.
Chaffer's Short Poems.
Eleusinian Mysteries, Taylor.
Fantasy, by Seras. U. S. Book Co.
The Annandale Book. The Annandale Book.
Traits of Nature, v. 2.
Shakspere, v. 15, Johnson and Stevens. C. & A. Con-

rad, 1809.
Leading Strings to Knowledge, Trimmer.
Lucie's Mistake.
Eustace Congerall, Hannay.
Burd Grubb Genealogy, Jas. Levick.
Evenings at Woodlawn, Mrs. Evelett.
Lyman Genealogy.
Hist. of Berkshire Co. Pittsfield, 1829.

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A fine fresh copy of Oliphant's Makers of Florence, éd.

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Six Months in Mexico, Nellie Bly.
Treatise of Massage, Practical and Theoretical.
Guide to Palm stry, Henderson.
Allan Ramsay's Poems.
While It Was Morning, Townsend.
Main Travelled Roads. Main Travelled Roads.

Geo. Brumder, Milwaukee, Wis. Character Sketches, pts. 10, 14, 16, 17, 20, 22, 45, 49, 65, Works on Ancient and Modern Arms, il. Il Works on Antiquities of Tibet. Scenic America. Werner Co.

Bryant & Douglas Book and Stationery Co., 1002
Walnut St., Kansas City, Mo. [Cash.]
Spencer's History of Virginia Baptists.
Ihn's History of Rome.
Niebuhr's History of Rome.
Menzell's History of Germany.

The Burrows Bros. Co., Cleveland, O. Letters of Mrs. Adams to John Adams. Crawford, S. W., Genesis of the Civil War.

Butte Free Public Library, Butte, Montana. Coyner, D. H., The Lost Trappers. Cin., 1859. Lyons, W. F., Life of Gen. T. F. Meagher. N. Y., Phillips. Chas., Speeches. Snell's Primer of Italian Literature.

J. W. Cadby, 131 Eagle St., Albany, N. Y. Schoolcraft's Indian Tribes, v. 1 to 4. Hunt's Mer. Magazine, March, 1870, 50 cents; also v. 16 and 17 and 17.

Appleton's Journal, Oct., Nov., 1880, July, '81.

Andover Review, Oct., 1891, a'so 1889-94.

Congregational Quarterly, Oct., 1864; Jan., '66; Jan., July, '76; Jan., '78.

Harper's Monthly Magazine, 1860-63, a quantity at a low price. low price.

W. J. Campion & Co., 1001 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.
Maximilian, His Rise and Fall, by de Kératry.
War with Mexico, by Ripley.
Life of Juarez, by Burke.
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Case Library, Cleveland, O. Heine's Poems, trans. by Lazarus. Barry's Massachusetts. Quarterly fournal of Economics, v. v. Street Railway Journal, send for list.

C. N. Caspar, 437 E. Water St., Milwaukee, Wis. Richter, Organic Chemistry. Blakiston, \$4.50. American Journal of Mathematics, v. 5, pt. 1. Blaine, Twenty Years in Congress, v. 2, cl.

G. P. Castle, Mount Vernon, N. Y. [Cash] Boston Cooking-School Magazine, v. 1, nos. any or all.

James J. Chapman, Agt., 608 13th St., Wash-ington, D. C. Annals of Annapolis, David Ridgely. Balt., Cushing & Bro., 1841.

City Library, Lowell, Mass. Hardy, 500 Books for the Young, 2 copies. Kempis, Thomas à, De Imitatione Christi, Latin text with translation on opposite pages, published by Kegan Paul, 1892.

Letters of Abelard and He'oise, editions of 1813. James, G. P. R., Eutaw. Bankside Shakespeare, v. 14.

A. H. Clapp, 32 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y. Meditations, by Princess Beatrice of England. Honor Bright; or, Having His Own Way, Mrs. F. H. Burnett. Alhambra, pap. U. S. Book Co. Dishonored, pap.

W .B. Clarke & Co., Park and Tremont Sts.,
Boston, Mass.
Century Dictionary, hf. mor., 1c-v. ed.
Young People's Magazine. June, 1895, also v. 8 to 16 incursive. Bobert Browning, gilt top. 17-v. ed.

Cleveland Public Library, Cleveland, O. Smith and Redford, Greek Architec ure and Sculpture.

Henry T. Coates & Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Busine's Directory of Camden, New Jersey, 1897. Tucker, Geo., History of the United States, 4 v. Phila., 18:6.

Blackwood's Magazine. Jan. and Dec., 1894.

Bradley's Principles of Logic. Pub. by Kegan Paul.

Parsons', Thomas W., Divine Comedy of Dante, il. ed. Boston, 1867.
Henty, In the Days of the Mutiny.
Atherton, The Doomswoman.
Before the Gringo Came. Hobbes, A Study in Temptations.

G. H. Colby & Co., Lancaster, N. H. Young's First Reader. Architectural or building works prior to 1812, cheap.
Bargains in remainders.
Appleton's Annuals, 1895, '96, '97, in any binding or different bindings, cheap.
Publishers' catalogues and price lists.

H. H. Jessup's Mohammedan Missionary Problem.
Fiske's Faith Working in Love, being the Life of Fidelia
Fiske, 1868. History of Saratoga County, large sub. V. 1 to 9 Harper's Magaine, hf. bound.

Congregational S. S. and Pub. Soc, 175 Wabash Ave., Chicago, III.

Newcomb's A B C Finance.

Life of Wm. Goodell. Pub. by Carter Bros. \$1.50.

Miller's History of the Anglo-Saxons, Bohn Library.

R. W Crothers, 246 Fourth Ave., N. Y. [Cash.] Koelle's Polyglotta Africana.

Cushing & Co., 34 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md.

Piazzi Smith, Our Inheritance in the Great Pyramid. Davis, Day Star of American Freedom. Propert, Miniatures Propert, Miniatures
Gilmore, Four Years in the Saddle
Gale, Pilgrims First Year in New England.
Higginson, History of United States. Harper & Bros.
Bull, Battle of Armageddon.
Cooke, J. E., Her Majesty the Queen.
McKeever, H. B., Edith's Ministry.

W. O. Davie & Co., 224 E. 4th St., Cincinnati, O. English Catalogue: Index of subjects, any except v. 2.

Dellquest & Andrews, El Paso, Tex.
On Literature of Romance, Johann G. Gruber.
A Comparison of the Philosophy of Many Nations, Johann G. Gruber.
Gunn's Family Physician, old ed.
Detraction, by Amelia Opie.

De Wolfe, Fiske & Co., 361 Wash'n St., Boston, Mass

Promptuary for Preachers, 2 v., Ashley. Pub. in London. Temple Rugby Sermons, 3 v.

Wm. Doxey, 63! Market St., San Francisco, Cal. O. A. Brownson's Works, 20 v. Pub. by Norse & Thorn-dyke, Detroit. Motley, John Lothrop, Merry Mount.

G. Dunn & Co., 22 W. 6th St., St. Paul, Minn. Comstock's Civil Service Question Book. Green's Russian Army, Campaigns in Turkey. Books on plumbing and heating by steam and water. Hetty Strong's History, in No Name series. Dander's Treatise on Refraction.

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Francis Edwards, 83 High 8t., Marylebone, London, W.
Baker, Sewage Purification in America. 1893.
Barns, Boiler Tests. 1891.
Baumeister, Sanitary Engineering.
Clausius, Mechanical Theory of Heat. 1879.
Hale's Ethnography of the South Sea Islands, 4°.
Ledyard's Life and Travels. Cambridge, 1828.
Delano, A., Voyages and Travels. Boston, 1817.

W. C. Edwards, 174 Alexander St., Rochester, N. Y. Montholon, Napoleon at St. Helena, 1 v. 1846.

Estes & Lauriat, 301 Washington St., Boston, Mass.

Dublin University Magazine, complete set.

University Magazine, 1880 to date.

Edinburgh Review, v. 69.

Gentleman's Magazine, v. 1, 1731. pt. 1 of v. 75, 1801.
pt. 2 " 74, 1804.

Thornton's Botany, 2 v., folio.
Audubon's Birds of America, 8° ed.
A Journey in the Back Country, by F. L. Olmstead.
"Seaboard Slave States, by F. L. Olmstead.
"Through Texas, by F. L. Olmstead.
Ogden, His Little Royal Highness.
Richards, New Alice in the Old Wonderland.
Alcott, L. M., The Children's Friend.
Ford, Third Alarm
Doyle, Mystery of Cloomber.
Indiana, by Geo. Sands.

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P. K. Foley, 26 Bromfield St., Boston, Mass Gov. Thos. Hutchinson, Diary, etc., v. 1, cl., 1884. Clark, L. G. Knickerbocker Sketch-Book, 1845. Youth's Keepsake (annual), Boston, 1826-36. Lowell, A Year's Life, perfect or imperfect. The Talisman (annual), N. Y., 1828-30.

De Witt C. Gallup, II R.R. St., Amsterdam, N. Y. 1st 30 v. Publishers' Weekly, bound or in nos. V. 31, nos. 3, 4, 15, 23, index; v. 32, nos. 24, 25, 26, index; v. 33, nos. 4, 5, 15, 23, index; v. 34, nos. 3, 4, 5, 20 to 26; v. 35, nos. 7, 9, 10, 21, index; v. 36, nos. 1, 6, 19, 21, 22, index; v. 37, nos. 15, 17, 20, 22 to 25, index.

Gammel Book Co., 619 Congress Ave., Austin, Tex.

Texas Reports, any vol. California Reports, any after 87. American Decisions, any after 32. American Reports, any after 29. American State Reports, any after 15. Northeastern Reports, any after 30.

Isaac Hammond, Charleston, S. C. Timrod's Poems.

W. S. Houghton, Lynn, Mass. Bookman, any in 1895. Bookman, any in 1805.
Chautauquan, V. 2.
International Review, V. 2.
Ladies' Home Journal, before June, 1886.
Bostonian, Oct., 1894.
Cosmopolitan, Nov., 1886; May, '87; Nov., '88.
Harper's Mag., V. 1, 2, 23, 24.
Munsey, before Oct., 1893.
Any nos. of Education, Ed. Rev., Good Roads, New England Mag., Music, Poet Lore, and Shakespeariana.

The J. L. Hudson Co., Detroit, Mich. Letters from Julia, by W. T. Stead. Manual of Pottery and Porcelain, by Treadwell. Greenwood's English Grammar. Letters from Julia, by W. T. Stead. Treadwell's Manual of Pottery and Porcelain.

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Attractions of Pit'sfield, Mass.
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H. N. Jackson, 36 W. 6th St., Cincinnati, O. Robertson's Memoirs; or, Reminiscences of Mexican War. Young Reader, by John Pierpont, old school book.

U. P. James, 127 W. 7th St., Cincinnati, O.

[Cash.]
Chappell, W., History of Music, v. 1. London, 1874.
Miss Pardoe's Court of Francis 1. Phila., 1849, or any other cheap ed.

Memoirs of James H. Perkins, 2 v. Boston, 1851. Popular Science Monthly, July, 1881.

E. W. Johnson, 2 E. 42d St., N. Y. Hours with Mystics, 2-v. ed., Vaughan. Poet Scout. Our Wild Indians, Dodge. Catlin's Indians. Catin's Indians. Large quantity of Tauchnitz eds. History of Church in Claverack, N. Y., Zabriskie.

F. H. Johnson, Flatbush Ave. and Livingston 8t., Brooklyn, N. Y. Cradle Songs of All Nations. D., M. & Co.

Kansas City Book and News Co., 720 Main St., Kansas City, Mo. Philosophy of Misery, Proudhon. Defense of Amageddon.

Baldwin, On Prophecy. Wendelieff's Principles of Chemistry. Principles; or, Philosophy of Light and Color, by E. D. Babbitt.

A. E. Keet, Astor Court Building, N. Y. Pall Mall Magazine, v. 1 and 2.

Leary's Book-Store, 9 S. 9th St., Phila., Pa. Marsh's Latin Hymns.

A Lee, Union League Library, Philadelphia, Pa. Publishers' Weekly for July 6, 1895, no. 1. v. 48.

J. Letchworth, Buffalo, N. Y. Hak'uyt Voyages, 1598, black letter.

Libralrie H. Le Soudier, 174 et 176 Boulevard Saint-Germain, a Paris. Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases. v. 1 to 9. Zello, Cronica Miscellanea y Conquista Espiritual y Temporal de la Santa Provincia de Xalisco. Guadala-iara fasc 10 ff. jara, fasc. 10 x ff.

Library Association, Portland, Ore. Johnson's Art of Thomas Hardy. Mark Twain's Library of Humor. McLean's Twenty-five Years' Hudson Bay Territory. Smalley's Northern Pacific Railroad. Whitney's United States, 1889.

W. H. Lowdermilk & Co., Washington, D. C. Ayres Genealogy. 1855. Salm-Salm, Ten Years of My Life. Bucknill, Submarine Mines.

Lyon, Beecher, Kymer & Palmer Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Daughter of Monte Cristo.

Am. Supplement to Peale Britannica, hf. red russia.

Nathaniel McCarthy, Minneapolis, Minn. Prime's Pottery and Porcelain of All Times.

Geo. H. Mackay, 25 Congress St., Eoston, Mass. [Cash.]
Poe's Tales Grotesque; Arabesque, either vol. Phila., 1840. Outre-Mer, Boston, 1833-34, either number. Longfellow, Christus, v. 1 only, green cloth. Boston,

Narrative Wreck Whale Ship Estex of Nantucket. N. Y., Vasey, Grasses of Southwest, pts. 1 and 2. Wash., 1891.

S. F. McLean & Co., 44 E. 23d St., N. Y. Alden Genealogy, by E. Alden.
Alden's Epitaphs, 5 v.
Pinkerton's Voyages, v. 1, 4to, leather.
O'Neal's Bench and Bar of S. C., v. 1.

Masonic Book Co., P. O. Box 7, N. Y. Translation of the Lendon Dispensatory, by Salmon. Pub. by Anton Saunders, 1676. Lodge, Quatuor Coronati, any odd vol.

Jas. F. Meegan, 23 Marletta St., Atlanta. Ga. McLeod's Principles of Economic Philosophy, 2 v. Voltaire's Philosophical Dict., 6 v. Works of John Adams, v. 3.

D. 8. Miller & Co., Watertown, N. Y. [Cash.] Fox's Book of Martyrs, containing old-style woodcuts published early in the present century. Modern eds. will not answer.

Milwaukee Public Library. School Review, Ithaca and New York, v. 1, 1893; v. 5, 1897, incl.

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